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Attorney General John Ashcroft
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Dear Mr. Ashcroft:

I am writing to voice my opinion on the antitrust case settlement between the US department of Justice and Microsoft. I am glad to see that there will soon be an end to this lawsuit. It has been a waste of our government's resources and our tax dollars. Does the government want to be responsible for an Enron-type business failure? They need to end this case immediately so that we can all move on with our lives.

I am a Research Scientist and use Microsoft products all the time for my work. Their company has been responsible for the advent of our computer industry, as we know it. They have also created tremendous growth in our economy and have put our nation ahead in the technology race.

The proposed settlement is a very fair compromise and should be enacted at once. Microsoft is going to share an unprecedented amount of technology information with their competitors and they will give consumers more choices by allowing OEM's to install non-Microsoft products on Windows.

Please use your influence to implement the settlement as soon as possible. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,


Chung Chang